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DISTRICT NEWS

Happenings of Local and General Interest

It pays to advertise in **THE OUTCROP**.

A lot of household furniture and three stoves for sale. Apply to Geo. Behler, Wilmer.

Miss Lambert has accepted a position as bookkeeper for Mr. Jas. McKay, at Sinclair.

Mr. E. A. St. Geo. Smith will conduct divine service in the Wilmer school house at 11 a.m. next Sunday.

Wilmer has one of the greatest novelties in this world or perhaps any other world—made in the telegraph.

Miss Lambert and Mrs. Pomeroy rode down to Galena last week and spent several days visiting Mrs. G. McMillan.

It takes the Fort Steele Prospector 10 days to reach this office—distances only 10 miles—and yet the Prospector doesn't give a cent unless he or a mail service is sent between the two places.

The school meeting held in Wilmer last Thursday evening was very good attended. It was decided to rent Frank Anderson's house next door for school purposes and to have it put in good condition by Sept. 1st.

The Post Master General has been considering for five long months the advisability of giving us a mail service between Wilmer and Cranbrook. This weather must be trying on his countenance. However, if a little oil is now applied the petition may be got through the mill before too long.

There are a few men and boys in this district who think it smart to knock down or unnecessarily pound their bones on the slightest provocation. Such people should be given an indication of their own medicine. A description of this country and the names of those who are so mean and exactly will be published in these columns the next time our reporter witnesses the like.

The Cranbrook Herald could reach twice as fast but it won't take it. Why not kick Herald? Some of the business men here want to do business with the bank and merchants of Cranbrook, but for want of a better mail service cannot do it. The Cranbrook people seem to have too much business already to trouble about a mail service that would bring more. Perhaps, they all advertise in the Herald.

The people of the old world are usually credited with being slow as compared with the stars of the new world, but it seems that in some portions there may be a better mail service than the one between here and Cranbrook. An exchange says that so complete are the postal arrangements of London that there is not a house more than 200 yards from a letter box or 400 from a postoffice or a money order office. There are over 10,000 letter boxes, which are closed every hour from 10 in the morning till 5 in the evening, and there are twelve deliveries a day in the city.

Toby Road Repairing Stopped.

Wm. Bennett laid off all the men employed on the Toby creek road last Friday, according to instructions received from the Government. It is said the reason for stopping the work is that all the money available may be needed on the Toby river road. The work of repairing Toby road to the North Fork would have been completed with five or six days more work, and it is regretted that the Government did not finish it, as the owners of the Black Diamond and past the Hot Punch would have worked West winter and shipped ore.

Subscribe for **THE OUTCROP**.

Send your job work to this office. The Outcrop is on sale at A. R. Yates' Drug Store in Wilmer.

Born—At Windermere, August 24, to the wife of Thos. Martin, a daughter.

For Sale—Chas. E. White Wyndolite Caskets at \$1 each. Apply to F. F. Price, Galena, B.C.

Divine service is held every Sunday evening in St. Peter's Church, Windermere, at 7:30 p.m. All are welcome.

Assistant Post Office Inspector Greenfield, of Vancouver, came up on the North Star Tuesday to inspect the office here.

A letter received in town from Norman Dwyer states that he is at his home in Ontario and may return to Alhambra in about time.

Neelance Yates, Armstrong and Alexander came up from Golden to Windermere on the North Star Tuesday and returned yesterday.

Miss McKenna, of Canterbury, went down to Golden on yesterday's steamer, en route to East Vancouver, B.C. She said she greatly missed by a large circle of friends.

The Outcrop reporter accompanied Dr. Elliot to the Paradise mine last Friday and believed a night that would change any one. In the next issue we will tell all about it.

W. J. Gould does a good business in the district wide here. Many people can now admire themselves without a mirror. He took a number of good photos of the towns and scenery.

Mr. Jas. A. Gault, of Montreal, Dr. and Mrs. Adams and Miss Adams, of McGill University, Montreal, came up the river Friday on the North Star to visit Mr. R. Randolph Bruce. They left here on Sunday's boat.

Rev. Mr. Teggart will conduct services every Sunday in Windermere at 11 a.m., Alhambra at 3 p.m., and Wilmer at 7:30 p.m., excepting the first Sunday in each month, when he holds service at Galena. Everybody is welcome.

T. H. Taylor, P.E.S., has surveyed the site for the new bridge across the Toby creek and a road of about half a mile on an approach to the bridge. The bridge will be built where the old one stood, near the ford. Already a number of piles have been hauled to the work.

E. T. Johnson shipped from Sinclair Ranch to this office one box and two bags of vegetables, which was very high in quality and succulent. One nugget weighed 4½ pounds, solid cabbage. The cauliflower, potatoes and onions are the best we have put through the mill this season. May heaven bless you Ed, and give you big crops every year. The Outcrop staff will soon be all vegetarians if the rancher keeps up his kindness.

Starbird-Louis.

Mr. Thos. Starbird, manager of the McDonald Creek Mines, returned from Dakota on Friday, and much to the surprise of his many friends brought with him a bride—Miss Elsie Louis. Mrs. Starbird is well known throughout this district, as it is only a few months since she left here with her father and mother, and she is a sister of Mrs. S. Brewer. Their arrival in Wilmer the day following came down directly to their native home at Elbow. The Outcrop joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Starbird in wishing them long life and much happiness.

Golden Nuggets

(From Our Correspondent.)

August 23.

Mrs. Hargrave of Fallier is in town today.

Don't forget the dance Monday night, Sept. 1st.

Mrs. T. Robson has gone to Republic for a few weeks.

Mrs. C. E. Hamilton and child returned home today from Winnipeg.

F. Walker formerly of Golden is in town renewing old acquaintances.

Quite a number of the gentlemen are daily engaged every afternoon trap shooting.

H. W. Pason, who has been west on a business trip, returned to Golden Friday.

T. Starbird and wife arrived from Dakota on Thursday, and proceeded to Wilmer on Friday's boat.

A number of tourists from Field were noticed in town this week.

Miss Allen, of Lindsay, who has been the guest of Miss Lang the last two weeks, left Friday.

A Hamilton went west Friday, it is rumored he will not return home.

Sherriff Redgrave spent a few days in Field this week, and had quite an exciting time driving in from Emerald Lake.

The Jones became merrily and finally succeeded in precipitating earnings and away on a very steep bank.

Thos. McNaught, formerly of Golden near of Halcrow, had Springs, passed through Golden Friday, on his way to the east.

Jack Henderson came in from the International Group of notes last Friday, where he has charge of a gang of men, he reports things as looking fine.

Messrs. A. McKelley and McLean are in from the Bagdad District, they had a splendid trip and made a very rich strike of copper and gold on Warm Creek, which they are certain will prove an exceptional value.

August 25.

Born—A son, Aug. 21, to the wife of A. Langlands, a son. Mother and child are doing well.

F. Holaday, of Field, is in town today on business.

Mrs. J. E. Griffith, Mrs. Sprague and Miss Edith left today for Field, where they will remain a week or two.

Mr. Devlin left suddenly for Victoria Friday last, having received intelligence that his wife is seriously ill in that city.

Mr. J. Longmore, who has been in the Golden Hospital for the last three months, left for the Calgary Hospital on Saturday, where he will undergo a very serious operation. Mr. Longmore has a large number of friends in Golden who extend to him their sympathy and wish for his safe recovery. He is also a number of the Masonic Lodge.

W. Smith and T. Bingham, of Nelson Creek, are in town this week.

The Miners and Laborers' Cooperative Co. have purchased a number and will have it completed and ready for operation by New Year's Day. Mr. Chesley arrived from St. James Sunday and proceeded to Duluth today. In an interview with Mr. O. D. Hoot that I was told that another group of men have been sent to the Gold Luck mine and was also shown samples of ore from the Gold Luck, which has a good showing of copper and gold ore.

Rev. C. F. Yates will leave Friday for the Windermere District and will be absent about ten days.

C. A. Warren and J. E. Griffith left today for River and intend being away three or four days.

Mr. Chisholm is going for the purpose of seeing the trails to the various mines, which are reported to be in a very poor condition and will see what difficulties the miners and prospectors have to contend with.

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Spring Creek Road

The Government Will Assist in the Construction—Half of the Cost Will be Paid Next Year.

In a letter received from Hon. W. C. Wells by Mr. R. R. Bruce, manager of the Paradise, he states that he will have placed in the estimates for next year a sum of money sufficient to cover one half the cost of the Spring creek road to the basin.

This is what was asked for and it now rests with the Paradise owners whether or not the road is built this fall. Mr. Bruce has wired his principals and it will be known in a few days what their intentions are.

It is a pleasure once more to note the promptness with which our member, Hon. Mr. Wells, gives attention to the requests of his constituents, and this is but one instance in many in which his zeal for the welfare of this district has shown itself at a critical moment to be of high grade.

The construction of this road now means everything to this district. Besides benefitting a long list of claims in the basin, it will give the Paradise a chance to ship large quantities of low grade ore at a small profit. It means that \$25,000 or more will be spent forthwith on the road and Paradise, and a long pay-roll. If the road is not built the Paradise will do little or no work.

any river. This would enable the holders of many of the low grade prospects that district to produce some material payable to a community their ores. With a railway down the valley, tapping the rich mineral and agricultural country that lies on both sides of the lake and river there would undoubtedly be lively business in that portion of East Kootenay.

Political Situation

By Prof. Goldwin Smith

"Bystander" (Prof. Goldwin Smith) has been sitting up the present political situation in Ontario and in the Toronto Weekly since this week says:

"The Ontario Government is now left with a precarious majority of one side of a popular majority on the other side. Its strength is not likely to be increased by any by-elections which may occur, because its command of patronage has become very uncertain, while the waters will be apt to look upon the Opposition as the rising tide. This is an awkward predicament. It is a sort of political interregnum permitting dangerous opportunities for corruption and intrigue. The best course probably would be a speedy meeting of the Legislature. We should then have a decisive vote, followed, if necessary, by a fresh appeal to the country. Such an appeal, however, would be the worst taken in England. A Government cannot be carried on with a majority of one. It would be liable at any moment to be put in minority by a spell of sickness or the missing of a train or worse still, it would almost be at the mercy of a single legislator. It was a relief of this kind that forested confusion, which was the offspring, not of relationship but of fear. What is the remedy? The only permanent remedy is the abandonment of the party system of government, which exposes us to the risk of such dilemmas, as well as to the intrigues, tergiversations, and corruption, with their malign influence, now rapidly growing of sinister interest on our continent and to the exclusion of half the community from administration of the state. The system was the mechanical offspring of the contest between the Jacobins and the Hauserian parties in

England. It has long lain behind any national growth of its existence, and is intrinsically incompatible to a community like ours, in which not only is there a fundamental question at issue like that between the Hauserians and the Jacobins, but there is no important question of any kind to divide one-half of the community from the other. Away with the Lieutenant-Governor and with the obsolete force of his managing Ministers. Let the elections to the Legislature be held at stated times. Let the legislature elect the heads of the several administrative departments, as well as its own president, for the term of its own existence. That is the natural and rational mode of operating elective government, and to it, perhaps, after some further experience of the working of the present system, the country will be forced to come. Party feeling would have to give more trouble at first, but in time it would abate.

We should not fall at once into a political millinery, but we should be working steadily and earnestly on the lines of common sense, and in the manner suited to the twentieth century, to the nineteenth century. A condition is now proposed. So far as we are on the right road."

This is pretty straight talk and right to the point. But such talk is only a waste of time. Party has too strong a hold on the people of this country to be thus lightly thrown off. It is a yoke that the people have manfully cultivated and carried for years, and will take a little more than the present political difficulty to get out. The advice of the "Bystander" appears to be good, but we fear it is pouring water on a duck's back.—London News.

An ad that draws people into a store to "look around" is a good ad, but a better one is that which brings them in search of a specific article. Women do an immense amount of shopping right here these days, and the ad that sells the goods before they get on their hands is likely to bring the biggest returns.

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W. P. EVANS.

Publisher and Proprietor.

WILMER, B.C., THURSDAY, AUG. 28, 1902.

Hon. E. G. Prior, minister of mines, while on his recent trip through the Kootenays, is reported to have said that while the miners complain of the two per cent tax being too heavy no one had suggested any remedy whereby the Legislature could obtain the revenue now derived thereby.

The Minister of Mines, it is stated is a mining engineer himself, and, therefore, should thoroughly understand the difficulties with which the miners have to contend, and it seems a trifle strange that he should look to other mining men to tell him where the tax to raise revenue should be placed. With leniency to Mr. Prior his remarks might be taken as a sarcastic joke, but even so the laugh would be on himself.

It is to be sincerely hoped that Mr. Prior's visit to the various mining camps will result in removal of this obnoxious law, or, at least, that it will be so modified that the miners cannot make such strong objections.

Before the bill became law The Outcrop took occasion to point out the injustice of it and has referred to it many times since. We now find that every mining man holds the same opinion, at least we have not heard of any who uphold it, but we know of scores who are very much opposed to it. The reason it is now so strongly opposed is that the tax has been paid and found to be unfair.

There is an instance right in this district which shows clearly that the tax is levied unjustly. There are two properties within a mile of each other—the Paradise and Silver Belt—which have paid the tax. One has high grade and the other low grade ore. The Paradise has paid taxes on 1,000 tons of ore and its owners have actual lost money on the ore. The Silver Belt has paid taxes on about 15 tons of ore and its owners realized a profit of over \$1,000. Where is the fairness?

The tax should be on the profits of the ore?

It must be admitted that it would be difficult to arrive at any particular method of getting correct figures of the profit from each mine, other than relying upon the honesty of the managers. It must be allowed that mine managers as a class are as honest as other people and can be relied upon—despite the insinuation which some make. Possibly there are a few dishonest men among them, but no company desires to retain in their employ a dishonest manager. Then, by carefully estimating the cost of mining and transportation and deducting it from the smelter returns, the exact profit can be very closely estimated.

When it is considered that the metalliferous mines pay more towards the revenue of the Province than all other industries—that is, everything considered as revenue, from the staking of claims to the shipping of ore—and that in return have such a small amount expended to their benefit, the reasonableness of the "kick" is more apparent.

For the present it is the bounden duty of the Legislature to foster the mining industry, more especially now for the reason that the market quotations continue so low.

All the blame, however, should not be placed on the local legislators. They, too, have their difficulties to contend with. Every day, someone is making demands on the treasury department and of necessity they must raise the revenue—must increase the taxes.

It is the Dominion Government that robs the Provincial treasury and causes the latter to go a-begging.

Premier Dunsmuir stated that the total amount expended by the Dominion in the Province up to July of last year was \$28,068,041; the total contributed by British Columbia to the Dominion during the same period was \$42,475,349; leaving a balance in favor of the Province of over \$13,500,000.

Would it not be right for the tax-payers of this Province to unitedly work for the recovery of this amount? True, the Dominion has jared loose a little, but why should not the Dominion foster the industries of this young Province, rather than take our money and give it to the other provinces? It is up to the people, now resident in this Province, to make conditions such that mining capital can make profits on their investments and the reward will soon follow. Let us meet calmly with conditions.

HUGH MACDONALD,

BARRISTER,
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Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the Elk Park Ranch and Stock Improving Company, Limited, are required to submit the same to the undersigned, their Clerk and accountants, before the 30th day of September, A.D. 1902, to such extent, reference to the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that all such accounts must be duly verified by oath. Dated at Golden, B.C., this 6th day of August A.D. 1902.

T. H. TAYLOR,

Liquidator, Elk Park Ranch and Stock Improving Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have this day disposed of all the assets of the Elk Park Ranch and Stock Improving Company, Limited, to James L. McKay, of Golden, B.C. All accounts due to the said Company are payable to the said McKay, the same having been purchased by him.

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Although a new town Wilmer has made remarkable progress. Among its institutions may be mentioned the court house at which county court for the district is held periodically, a public school, a hospital supported by the district, postal money order office, newspaper, doctor, provincial land surveyor, drug store, general store, saw mill, livery stable, hotels, etc. The Presbyterian and Roman Catholic denominations are represented. It is the headquarters from which the Paradise and Red Line mines are operated.

A telegraph office connecting with Golden will be opened shortly.

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Mine	Pounds.	Value
Paradise.....	1,588,310	
In transit	380,000	
Delphine.....	75,831	\$3,529.26
In transit	155,500	
Red Line in transit	162,000	
Swansea.....	4,000	
White Cat.....	2,000	
Silver Bell.....	2,500	1,454.60
M. E. Fenton.....	21,000	2,252.29
In transit	45,000	
Bingham.....	1,000	99.00
	2,385,141	\$7,286.15

PUNISHED AND PARDONED

Last night my little son was sent

Unkissed to bed, with angry eyes

And lips that pouted wild and sore!

That was his mother's punishment—

I can see mother's eyes upon him,

But yet he turned to forgive.

The little child, the wee wee child,

He clung to his little mother,

He was too good to weep or plead,

I can see mother's eyes upon him,

In tender yearning following him.

But in the silence when he slept

Unkissed the tears lay on his cheek,

The little face seemed very meek.

How pitifully, perchance, he wept

Before he took to shambles!

The grief he could not understand—

Then tenderly his mother kissed him

And kissed the lips he pouted now,

But now his nose, since he was washed,

And there he lay the little head

She kissed and patted a little head.

And, dear God, when at the last

We lay with closed and tear-stained

eyes.

And lips too dumb for prayer or sigh,

Sore and punished for the past,

Sure! Then will forgive and then

Being pitiful for our distress.

WHY THEY GO.

Some go to church, just for a walk,

Some to stare, to laugh, and talk

Some go there to meet a friend,

Some for general observation,

Some to seek or find a lover,

Some a country to discover,

Some go there to see their eyes,

And newest fashions criticize,

Some to show their own smart dress,

Some their neighbors' to assess,

Some to see a race or banquet,

Some to ride the big riding gear,

Some to learn the latest news,

That friends at home they very miss,

Some to gossip tales and true,

Safe hid within the sheltering pew,

Some go there to please the square,

Some to be daughters to admire,

Some the parson go to favor,

Some to lounge, and some to yawn,

Some to claim the parish dues,

Some for dread and some for ease,

Some because it's thought genteel,

Some to want their plans read,

Some to show how every thing,

Some how kind their voices ring,

Some the preacher go to hear,

His words of voice, to praise or jeer,

Some forgiveness to implore,

Some their sins to vanish o'er,

Some to eat and drink and nod,

But few to kneel and worship God.

A pair of American women, just re-
turned from the Philippines, brought
with them a pair of head-bedecked
trousers which were obtained in a rather
startling way. One of the women, who
lived many years in Samoa, found that
she could converse readily in Samoan,
and one of the Filipina girls, the
other whom she addressed thus in his
native tongue: "What?" said he,
"the white man has taken our lan-
guage?" and he promptly asked her
the Samoan equivalent for "What can
I do for you?" she told him in her
sweetest Samoan how much she ad-
mired the headstock on their garments,
and how much she would like to buy
a piece of it to take back to her own

country. "No," said the child, with a
knowing wave of the hand, "you shall
not buy; you shall not buy; you shall
take this as a gift." Whereupon he
quickly removed his trousers and handed
them over, with the unblinking grace
of a child of nature.—San Francisco
Argonaut.

Two newboys were standing in front
of a Henson cigar store, when one of
them asked the other: "Have you got
three cents?" "Yes," "Well, I've got
two cents. Give us your three cents,
and I'll buy a five-cent Havana cigar."
"All right," said No. 2, handing out the
money. He enters the cigar store,
procures the cigar (on credit possibly),
lights it, and pulls with a great deal of
satisfaction. "Come, now, give us a
pull," said No. 2. "I furnished more
than half of the money." "I know it,"
said the smoker; "but, then, I'm pre-
sident, and you're only a stockholder."
you know."—L.A.

Italy Marion, a member of the "Tele-
phone Girl" company now playing at
Denver, Colorado, has renounced the
stage and joined the Salvation Army.
Her jewels and her bank account will be
turned into funds to aid her in her
work. She intends, in future, she
says, to atone for her life of levity
singing in playing the concert and doing
charity.

Jaggely (129 a. m.)—Now, don't
speak, my dear, I know it rather late,
but I shall have to tell you, Mrs. Jaggely.
—Yes, I've got a picture of your tug.
How many salmoners did you pull over
the bar with it.

A lady, walking on a wharf at Van-
couver, asked a sailor whom she met
if a ship was going to "L.A." The sail-
or, Neptune ungraciously replied that it
was because the rigging cost too much.

We have no cockles, I tell you now,
The cockles are in danger.
There's none is getting laid to rest,
It's so hard to find 'em, too.

The cockles are in danger, oh
The cockles are in danger,
The cockles are in danger,
The cockles are in danger.

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LIQUOR LICENSE ACT 1900

At a Special Meeting of the Board of
Liquor Commissioners for the Kootenay
District held in the Court House building
at 2 o'clock, p.m., on Friday, the 5th
day of September, 1902, the following
application was considered and
granted: J. M. May, for the Canadian Pacific
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S. B. BROWN,
Golden, B.C., Chief License Inspector
August 16, 1902.

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